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Applicant:

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 20, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:



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Sir: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

<u>X</u> The fee has been calculated as shown below.

This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

Claims as Amended

| (1) | (2) Claims remaining | (3) | (4) Highest number | (5) | (6) | (7) |
|--------------------|-------------------------|-------|------------------------|---------------|----------|-------------------|
| | after amendment | | previously paid for | Present extra | Rate | Additional fee |
| Total claims | 17 | Minus | = 20 | 0 × | \$18(9) | = \$00.00 |
| Independent claims | 1 | Minus | = 3 | 0 × | \$86(43) | = \$ 00.00 |
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- If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.
 - If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
- If the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space.
- This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$280 (\$140) has been previously paid _, or is paid herewith _.
- \boxtimes This response is being filed within the first month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a one-month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed.
- \boxtimes A check in the amount of \$\frac{110.00}{}\$ is attached, which covers the cost of \Box additional claims X petition for extension of time.
- Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.
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